

dispatch of business in Baltimore county court, was recommended.

Mr. Smith, presented a petition from Moses Sheppard, and others of the city of Baltimore, praying for the passage of an act to establish regulations for the purpose of preventing obstructions in Smiths dock, which was read and referred to Messrs Smith, Kennedy and Heath:

Mr. Heath, presented a petition from John Price, of Philadelphia, counter to the petition of Emanuel D. Smith, which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Heath, from the committee reported a bill entitled, an act to divorce John B. Scott, of the city of Baltimore, from Adaline his wife, which was read the first time.

Mr. Kennedy, presented a petition from Juliana Ott, of Washington county, praying for the arrears of pension, due her late husband Adam Ott, which was read and referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates.

On motion of Mr. Smith, the Senate resumed the consideration of the bill entitled, an act for the relief of Emanuel D. Smith, an Insolvent debtor of the city of Baltimore. The question before the Senate being on the passage of the bill—and the question was put, shall the bill pass. Determined in the negative, and the bill was returned to the House of Delegates.

The bill entitled a further supplement to the act to provide for the electing commissioners for Baltimore county and prescribing their duties, was read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered a resolution, authorising an appropriation of a sum of money for the purposes of furnishing and making the necessary repairs of the government house, which was read the first time and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Also, a resolution extending the time allowed Richard Barnes, of Charles County, to record certain papers therein mentioned, which was read and referred to Messrs. Thomas, Kennedy and Forrest.

Also, a resolution in favor of Elizabeth Donnelly, of Frederick county, which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on Pensions and revolutionary claims.

Also, a resolution in favor of Rachel Wilson, widow of David Wilson, late a pensioner of the State of Maryland, which was read the first time and referred to the committee on Pensions and Revolutionary claims.

Also, a resolution in favor of Benjamin Gudgeon, of